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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2641  
Docket No.: 1538.1010**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Takahiro ISHIKAWA, et al.

Serial No. 09/778,087

Group Art Unit: 2641

Confirmation No. 4567

Filed: February 7, 2001

Examiner: Michael J. Yigdall

For: **COMPILER FOR COMPILING SOURCE PROGRAMS IN AN OBJECT-ORIENTED  
PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE**

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 13, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on November 13, 2004. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to December 13, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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